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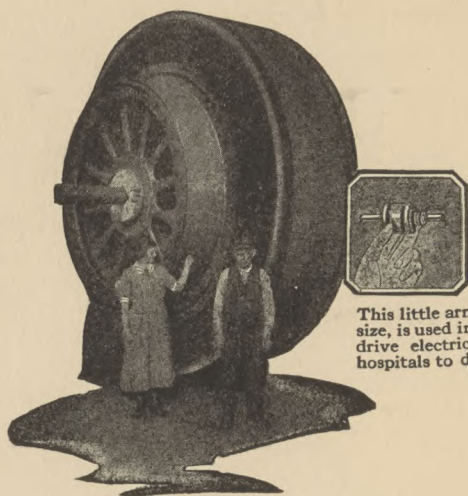
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EDITORIALS

To the Former Students of Rollins College:

I take genuine pleasure in availing myself of this opportunity to send this brief greeting to all graduates and former students of Rollins.

The Trustees, I am happy to say, have just voted that Rollins shall not attempt to emulate our great sister universities, whether state or endowed, either in number of students or variety of subjects taught, but rather shall remain a college of liberal arts where young men and young women can mingle together in the bonds and intimacies of unified association and learn life under noble and inspiring teachers.

Accordingly, I confidently look forward to a college of not more than seven hundred students, working and playing on as beautiful a campus as architecture and landscape gardening can devise, and instructed by a band of professors, not one underpaid and not one without rare teaching personality.

A loyal alumnus or former student is the greatest asset any college can possess. Whether you are a graduate or not you are Rollins men and women whose aid we must have if these plans are to be carried out. You can only be effective if organized. I especially urge you, therefore, to become a member of the Alumni Association, which is now well established and fully equipped to render invaluable assistance to the college, provided every former student joins.

HAMILTON HOLT,
President of Rollins College.

The announcement that the alumni of Rollins college will on Friday give a welcome dinner to Dr. Hamilton Holt, the new president of that institution, directs attention to the fact that one of the greatest things which has ever happened for Florida has been allowed to pass by without anything approximating the notice of which it was deserving. This is the coming of Dr. Holt to the Rollins presidency.

Wherever the name of Hamilton Holt is known at all it is recognized as that of one of the foremost publicists and thinkers of this country not only, but of the world. Dr. Holt has rendered this nation a large service. He was one of Woodrow Wilson's closest friends and shares largely the Wilson ideals and visions. His personality, his scholarship and his broad view of things mark him as a really outstanding man. As has been observed by the Palm Beach Times, he is of the type of men who will give a national stamp to the civilization that is emerging from the Florida movement. It is by no means hyperbole to say that since the going away of William Jennings Bryan he is perhaps Florida's most distinguished citizen.

Rollins college did a great thing for itself and for Florida when it induced Hamilton Holt to accept its presidency. It is only to be expected that he will make that institution one of the notable ones of its kind in the United States and in so doing will add much to the prestige of the state of Florida itself. — Tampa Times.

Activities of the Alumni Office

Armistice Day Game

Former students are urged to return to the campus on November 11, Armistice, to see the first home game of the season. The American Legion of Orlando is planning a mammoth celebration to extend throughout the day and during the evening, all of which will be of interest to those who plan to return.

Thanksgiving Day

The most important game of the season will be, according to tradition, the Thanksgiving game on November 26. Howard College of Alabama, a strong contender for S. I. A. A. honors, will be the foe on that occasion and the Tars will need a strong and lusty rooting section of alumni and former students to help arrange a victory.

Football Formal

On Thanksgiving evening the annual football formal will be held in the Woman's Club in Winter Park, and visiting alumni and former students will be welcome.

Football Sweaters

At the formal, the Alumni Committee on Athletics will present to the letter men of the varsity new sweaters in recognition of their prowess.

"Meet Me in Miami" Dec. 5

For that is when the Tars tackle Oglethorpe, the conqueror of the famous Centre Colonels in a post-season game at the new Coral Gables stadium.

Alumni Dues

Acknowledgment of the receipt of the following alumni dues, during the past month, are hereby made:

Edward C. Hooker	\$10
Ruth Amy Sebring	10
C. A. Noone	10
C. R. Tysen	10

Rev. G. B. Waldron	10
Virginia Richardson	10
Rev. Harry Ingham, Ph.D.	10
John H. Neville	10
Miriam Curtis Robinson	10
Henry A. Atkinson, D.D.	10
Robert Chandler	10
J. K. Dorn	10
J. K. Dorn (contribution toward the deficit)	100
Florence Bumby	10
Paula Dommerich Siedenburg	10
S. S. Sadler	10
Robert B. Chandler	10

The Alumni Dinner

On Friday, October 23, former students gathered at the Angebilt Hotel to officially welcome President and Mrs. Hamilton Holt. R. W. Greene, President of the Alumni Association acted as toastmaster and introduced the following speakers: S. K. Guernsey, of the Orlando Chamber of Commerce; William Edwards, of the Orange County Chamber of Commerce; C. A. Boyer, representing the University of Florida alumni; Sexton Johnson, former president of the Alumni Association; Frances Dickenson Pinder, who read a poem she had written for the occasion; Amelia Kendall, representing the Stetson University Alumni; Rose Mills Powers, who read a poem; Elizabeth Robinson, representing the Florida State College for Women alumnae; President Spivey, of Southern College; Rena Cary Sheffield, who read an original poem; E. L. Robinson, representing the Yale University alumni; A. J. Hanna, Editor of the Record, and the Lions Club quartet of Orlando, which rendered music for the dinner.

Mrs. John T. Fuller introduced President Holt, whose address is printed elsewhere. At the close of the dinner a rising vote of confidence and endorsement was given the new president.

Among those who attended were Edna Wallace, Walter Johnston, Margaret McKay, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Sutliff, Charles E. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Caldwell,

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MESSAGES OF CONGRATULATION ON PRESIDENT HOLT'S ELECTION

Chief Justice William Howard Taft of the Supreme Court of the United States:

"I am very glad to know that Hamilton Holt has been elected President of Rollins College. I have known Mr. Holt a great many years. He is a man of the highest probity and character, a man, of wide experience and great ability. I felicitate the College on securing him."

Ex-Governor James M. Cox of Ohio:

"The day that Hamilton Holt entered upon his duties as President of Rollins College was a happy one for him, and a profitable one to the commonwealth of Florida."

"Florida, in a sense, is the oldest state in the Union, and now the newest. Mr. Holt comes to Rollins with a seasoned experience which the years have gathered, but with the imagination and the purpose of the progressive time in which we live. His contact with the people of Florida will help to turn public thought from gold to the seal of the country."

"The young men and women of today are trained primarily to equip them for the purely practical tasks of life. If the nation loses its spiritual side, there will not be much labor to perform. America will continue to grow rich, but what will it avail her if she possesses all the gold of the world and loses her soul?"

"Hamilton Holt became a crusader under the banner of one of the greatest crusaders of history. He has helped to enrich the thought of every community that he has touched. He will be an asset to Florida and beloved of her people."

"Please present to him my greetings, and to the friends of Rollins College my felicitations on the arrangement which brings him to the college."

President Frederick P. Keppel of the Carnegie Corporation:

"I congratulate the alumni of Rollins College on having the opportunity to welcome Hamilton Holt to Florida and to the responsible position he is to take up in your community. We are sorry to have him leave us, but we are broad-minded enough to wish

him all happiness and success in his new work."

Hon. Frank D. Waterman, former candidate for Mayor of New York:

"Knowing Hamilton Holt as I do, and having been associated with him in several civic movements, I heartily congratulate Rollins College upon his acceptance of its Presidency."

"My interest in Florida, and especially in your section of the state, has directed my attention to the success of your college. Please convey my compliments and best wishes to Mr. Holt and accept for Rollins my sincere congratulations upon having secured the services of so able and distinguished a citizen."

President James R. Angell of Yale University:

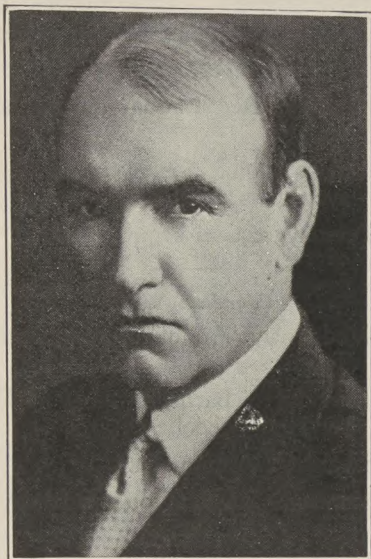
"Yale men everywhere are greatly interested in the appointment of Hamilton Holt as President of Rollins College. On behalf of Yale University, of which Mr. Holt is a highly honored alumnus, permit me to congratulate you most heartily on securing so able and distinguished a head for your institution. We shall look forward with the greatest confidence to a stimulating and successful administration."

President John Grier Hibben of Princeton University:

"I congratulate you upon your good fortune in securing Hamilton Holt as President of Rollins College. On behalf of Princeton University, as well as myself personally, I wish to extend to you and to him our felicitations upon the beginning of his administration and our best wishes for the continued prosperity under his guidance of Rollins College."

Chancellor James H. Kirkland of Vanderbilt University:

"I am very glad to send my congratulations to the trustees and faculty of Rollins College on their good fortune in securing the services of Dr. Hamilton Holt as President. He will bring to the college a wide acquaintance with men and things, sound



PRESIDENT HAMILTON HOLT

judgment, a high character, and noble ideals. The reputation of Dr. Holt has passed beyond the limits of the United States. Rollins College is indeed fortunate in having such a man at its head. For his sake, however, may I add this word: that no one man, however eminent, can make an institution without the loyal support of the alumni. I trust that this will be given President Holt in abundant measure. Please convey to him my respectful greetings as he begins his great work."

President Henry Churchill King of Oberlin College:

"I am very glad indeed to send my heartiest congratulations to Rollins College on the coming of Dr. Hamilton Holt as President of the college. He cannot fail to enrich the life of the college and to assure its solid growth. My heartiest good wishes both to President Holt and to the college under the new administration."

United States Senator Duncan U. Fletcher:

"The state in general and Rollins College in particular are to be congratulated on the acquisition of Dr. Holt. We should show our appreciation of the presence of

this distinguished educator in our midst and back him up in the great work he will do."

Supt. W. S. Cawthon of the Department of Public Instruction of the State of Florida:

"Rollins College is to be congratulated upon its future prospects. With Hamilton Holt as President, the friends of education in Florida have every reason to believe that the honorable record of Rollins will continue. Greetings and congratulations from the State Department of Public Instruction."

Rex Beach, distinguished author and member of the Class of 1896 of Rollins College:

"Accept my congratulations upon the election of Hamilton Holt as President of Rollins College. The alumni of Rollins are proud of her and will take new pride in her new president."

Dr. A. L. Bondurant of the University of Mississippi, President of the Classical Association of the Middle West and South, and Secretary of the Commission on Higher Institutions of the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States:

"I have learned that Rollins College, which has done excellent work for the cause of education in the past is now looking to a wider field, and with this in mind has called to the presidency a man who for years has been known to a very wide constituency in this country—Dr. Hamilton Holt. His editorial work on the Independent, and other periodicals, and his work as Head of the League to Enforce Peace, has brought to him a well earned reputation, and he now comes to Rollins in the fullness of his maturity, and I have no doubt will give to the upbuilding of the college his very best efforts. I wish for him in that work a large measure of success."

From Edwin Markham, the poet laureate of America:

"Any tribute to President Hamilton Holt must be in poetic terms for he is a commanding figure in the intellectual and educational life of America. He will shed a spiritual light on Florida and all students in this new era opening for beautiful Rollins College."

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The Rollins Calendar

November

- 3 Tuesday: Southern College Freshmen at Lakeland.
- 11 Wednesday (Armistice Day) Varsity vs. Southern at Winter Park.
- 14 Saturday: Freshmen vs. Orlando High School, Winter Park.
- 17 Monday: Pledge day for women
- 21 Saturday: Freshmen vs. Stetson Rats at Winter Park.
- 25 Wednesday: Burning of freshmen caps.
- 26 Thursday (Thanksgiving) Varsity vs. Howard at Winter Park.

December

- 1 Beginning of Basketball Practice.
- 5 Varsity vs. Oglethorpe at Miami.
- 12 Annual Y. W. C. A. Bazaar.
- 22 Tuesday, noon, Christmas recess begins.

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January

- 4 Monday: close of Christmas recess.
- 27 Wednesday: mid-year examinations begin.
- 30 Saturday: mid-year examinations end.

February

- 1 Monday: Registration, second semester.
- Pledges eligible for initiation if 80% average is attained.
- 2 Tuesday: classes begin.

Founder's Week

- 17 Wednesday: Annual meeting Board of Trustees.
- 18 Thursday: Bachelier Essay Contest for High School.
- 20 Saturday: Alumni Day.
- 22 Monday: Washington's Birthday.

March

- 1 Base ball practice begins.

April

- 24 Annual High School Water Meet.

May

- 1 Saturday: May Day.
- 8 Annual High School Base Ball Tournament.

June

- 7 Baccalaureate Sunday.
- 11 Commencement.

Gifts to Rollins During the Month

Recent gifts to the Lucy A. Cross Science Hall, reported by the Rollins Club of Daytona Beach, Mrs. Cornelius Christiancy, President, include donations from Mrs. Nellie Knappen, of Washington; Mrs. Mary Waldron, of Nyack, N. Y.; George Lewis, of Los Angeles, Calif.; Miss Lela Cross, of Cleveland, and Rev. J. L. Cross, of Fitchburgh, Mass.

Dr. J. F. Taintor, Librarian, reports the receipt of a temporary loan of about 200

books from the library of President Hamilton Holt. These books deal chiefly with Economics and Sociology.

Dr. Taintor has contributed, out of his personal library, approximately 60 books chiefly on literature.

Prof. George Lansing Raymond has contributed to the library a set of nine volumes of his works. For the most part they are poetry with some volumes on Aesthetics and on Ethics.

President Holt Outlines Policies at Dinner

"Mr. Chairman, and friends of Rollins College:

"I come to Florida from an ancient and historic hill town in rural New England. There manners and customs have changed but little in two hundred years—and real estate values not at all. In Woodstock, Connecticut, my avocation was to furnish the old homestead in which I live with antiques. Here, my vocation will evidently be to keep up with the procession of progress without getting much out of breath. Whether I can adjust myself to the pace, time only can tell.

Rollins College in a Field of Progress

"There are three things about Rollins which appeal to me very much. First, Rollins is situated in a progressive city, in a progressive county, in a progressive state. I might use more superlative characterizations and keep within the bonds of truth. But I prefer the emphasis of understatement. Evidently nothing can fail in Florida these days. Second, Rollins is an institution with a fine history and tradition on which to build. Third, Rollins has not been so successful as to be encumbered—as have so many other sister colleges and universities with contingent bequests and vested interests that prevent progress. Rollins is evidently an institution of both achievement and promise. So far as I can see there is nothing to prevent us—except our failure to seize the opportunities beckoning—from making Rollins the best small college of liberal arts in the United States.

In the last fifteen years I have visited perhaps three hundred institutions of higher learning in the land. To be sure I have made no serious study of any of the institutions, and as you all know, I have never until four weeks ago had any experience in academic administration. But in lecturing to students, meeting and talking with faculties and alumni, visiting recitation rooms and laboratories and dining at commons, one cannot fail to get some very distinct impressions.

Great Fault of American College Is Insatiable Impulse to Expand Materially

"If I should be asked to name the chief fault of the American college today, I would

unhesitatingly say, that it is the insatiable impulse to expand materially. Expansion may be not without justification as a means to some end, but as the end itself it is, I believe, a delusion. The passion for expansion—we must admit—is an American failing not confined solely to our educational institutions.

"But it seems to be more reprehensible in the case of a college or university because they ought to know better. As a result, we see presidents of colleges and universities making unedifying spectacles of themselves as beggars in the lobbies of legislative halls and the secretarial ante-rooms of millionaires.

"Instead of students seeking the college for its reputation in this or that subject, the colleges employ super-salesmen to drum up students. While no effort is spared to increase the student roster or to pile up brick and mortar, little or nothing is done to raise the quality of those who teach or those who are taught. Nearly every institution pays its professors salaries that could be discharged without difficulty in postage stamps. Nearly every institution permits a ten-dollar boy to attempt to get a thousand dollar education.

University Makes Specialists; College Makes Men

"I propose that Rollins should become a shining exception to this rule. I therefore am happy to inform the Alumni that at the last meeting of our trustees, it was unanimously voted that the president should submit a plan for a college in Winter Park of not more than seven hundred students in residence. A college of liberal arts is not and ought not to be a miniature university, doing inadequately what a university can do better. I have two uncles up in Connecticut who cultivate the soil as a hobby. One cultivates a farm of two hundred acres. The other cultivates a green house of two hundred square feet. Yet they both make the same amount of money but to put it more accurately, both declare the same deficit. Yet it would be impossible to say which gets the most valuable product from the soil. The university must always have the advantage of giving instruction in

a greater variety of topics. A student who wants to get up a special subject at a minimum cost, had better go to the university. A small college of liberal arts, however, can train men and women in but the few essential topics. It can give, nevertheless, better instruction, for it can specialize in professors rather than subjects. The university makes specialists. The college makes men.

Co-Education Endorsed

"If Rollins were a college for one sex alone, I should say that a maximum of five or six hundred students would be the ideal. But as it is, and I hope always will be, a co-educational institution, I think that seven hundred is about the right number, though I confess that this is only a guess.

"But there can be no doubt that whatever the number there should be more boys than girls. When Rollins reaches its goal, I should say that four hundred would be the proper quota for men and three hundred for women. Anybody who comes in contact with young people knows that that is about the right proportion if you want the two sexes to have the happiest, most profitable, and best time together.

Enrollment of 400 Boys and 300 Girls

The trustees having agreed that Rollins will not have—at least during my incumbency as president—over seven hundred students, see how easy our problem becomes. The equipment for seven hundred students is perfectly calculable. The number of professors required to teach them, the number of dormitories and clubs to house them, the number of recitation rooms and laboratories in which to instruct them, football fields and diving boards to develop their courage and skill, and the campus area in which the architect and landscape gardener can get their best effects—all these can be easily reckoned with pencil and pad.

Rare Character of Professor that Makes a College Great

"It is the professors—I am still old fashioned enough to believe—who make a college great. And yet, how rare is a great teacher. In my school and college experience, I have only come in contact with three. One in my preparatory school days, one in Yale, and one in my post-graduate course at Columbia—that is all. I do not

now remember what any of these men or any other of my teachers taught me. I only remember their personalities. They were inspiring, they were admirable or they were mean or, as we inelegantly called them in those days, "stinkers." It is character and character chiefly, that counts in the college professor and not the knowledge or wisdom on tap.

Small Classes Favored

"I think it is the universal belief that the fewer the number of pupils in the class, the better results. West Point, I am told, does not allow more than ten or a dozen men to recite together. If this is the correct proportion, then our ideal Rollins of seven hundred students ought to have about seventy-five professors. As our staff increases it shall be my purpose to invite to join our faculty only these rare souls whose personality appeals to young men and women. If they have scholarship,—good. If they can extend the border land of knowledge, better. If they are equipped and willing to assume leadership in church and state, best. But whatever other good qualities they possess they must have the gift of teaching, and the nobility of character to inspire youth. I shall consider that I have failed as president of Rollins if I cannot find these men and add them to our staff as we expand.

High Salaries Will Be Paid to Get Professors of Noble Character

"I think you will not misunderstand me if I tell you what I told the trustees when they asked me if I would consider the presidency of this college. I told them I would not be permanently connected with any institution of learning that underpaid its professors or president. That the trustees called me after this rather pointed declaration indicates that they will stand behind me in every effort made to raise the salaries of those who are intrusted with maintaining our educational standards. And when I say we expect to raise salaries, I mean not merely that the salaries shall be good but also that they shall eventually be better salaries than are likely to be obtained elsewhere. If we adopt this policy we shall be able to get nine professors out of every ten we seek.

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On the Shores of Lake Virginia

(Events and news of the Campus)

Campus Glory

Resplendent glories of the clothing manufacturer's art again illuminate the campus. Green and purple checked sweaters, long, baggy sport trousers, and veritable masterpieces of colored hosiery are the latest acquisitions of those who would conform to the current collegiate mode. Ye shades of Sunday Inspection! Fraternity men, unhampered by any complicated interfraternity rushing rules, are making frantic efforts to corral any or all freshmen who can pass official inspection. Not so free the girls. Each sorority has its own rush week, filled with dances and what not, the least of whose function is not the enjoyment afforded the rushees. Then there are rumors of this and that and "business as usual" is the slogan of those black purveyors of laundry bags who slowly, as the sands of time, wend their wearisome way to and from Hannibal Square.

Academic Industry

Registration fuss has given way to spectacular scenes of academic industry. Books and books and much note paper to say nothing of the gay golf hosiery to set them off, are being carried and worn on the campus. The freshmen, still respectful but not quite so furtive, are beginning to carry themselves with a certain degree of confidence. A canoe gets out occasionally, a new case begins—Rollins is indeed once again in session.

A Captain for the Baby Tars

A team must have a captain, and so before covering themselves with the proverbial glory in their first football game, the rats assembled in political array and elected Herbert White the new leader. He did himself proud by carrying the ball over for the touchdown against Florida Military Academy.

Swimming Classes

Fleet Peeples, another name for swimming, has begun classes in the gentle art of the Tar and Tarette and the splash and gurgle are again heard in dear old Lake Virginia. One of the features of the instruction this year will be that of life in-

structing as taught under the auspices of the Red Cross.

Miss Hill Offers a Prize

Through the good office of Paul Hilliard, Editor of the Sandspur, a prominent alumna of Rollins, Miss M. Flossie Hill, of Ft. Myers, has offered a tempting cash prize to undergraduates for the purpose of stimulating a greater interest in journalism.

Jack Evans Editor of 1926 Tomokan

A man must be editor of course, and so Jack Evans of the Junior Class makes his bow as the new editor of the Tomokan. He will have a difficult job living up to last year's standard—anyone would—but Jack has a hard working class back of him and so, good luck to you, old boy.

President Holt Speaks

People have no mercy on a college president. They ask him to speak at all times and on all subjects. But Prexy Holt is equal to the occasion. Recently he told members of the Sorosis Club in Orlando all about "Editors, Advertisers, Publishers, Writers, etc.," and made a tremendous hit. Then more than 1,000 teachers of nearby counties wanted to hear him on world problems and he gave that very inspiring lecture on world peace that was also given at the local high school several Sunday nights ago. And then—but his numerous engagements would fill a book.

Irving Bacheller Returns

Irving Bacheller, patriarchal trustee of Rollins, was on the campus for a few days this month and announced that "Jackson's Administration of Florida" would be the subject of the Essay Contest open to Florida high schools this year.

A Wedding on the Campus

Girls and boys, and that includes everybody on and off the campus, get ready for a really great surprise, for before many moons there is going to be a wedding right here in our midst—with a Rollins man and a Rollins girl taking the principal parts. Guess who.

Dr. Colledge Talks

Dr. W. A. Colledge, Editor of the New Encyclopaedia and director of the Redpath Chautauqua work, who is spending some time in Winter Park, talked in chapel recently. He is a remarkable speaker and the students want him to come again. He seems to know his English literature.

"R" Busy

Harold K. Daniels, of the Senior Class, heads the "R" club for the year, with Stanley Warner, Secretary and Treasurer. The important post, that of managing the football formal, went to Paul Hilliard.

Private Peat on the Job

One of the best assembly talks of the month was that given by Harold R. "Private" Peat, who has decided, after much wandering, to make Winter Park his home. He told Rollins men and women about the "Inexcusable Lie"—the teaching of children that war is glorious. He isn't any sob sister, but an honest to goodness sort of person.

Hall of Fame

Rollins is doing a lot these days, even to having a hand in the election of great Americans to the Hall of Fame in New York. President Holt is one of the electors, you know, along with the heads of Harvard, Yale, Princeton, etc. One day in chapel he explained the *modus operandi* to everybody and then asked that the students vote on the nominees. The result was the following nominations from Rollins: Samuel Adams, Nathaniel Greene, Paul Revere, Edwin Booth, Dorothea Lynde Dix, Stonewall Jackson, John Paul Jones, Henry David Thoreau, Noah Webster, Walt Whitman, Cyrus West Field and Sidney Lanier. They decided that such men as James Otis, Wendell Phillips, Horace Bushnell, etc., should be left until a later date.

Motorcade and Alumni Dinner at Gainesville

Everybody went to Gainesville for the annual game against the Gators on October 31. A huge motorcade was formed and because of the improvement in the roads, the undertaking was a pleasant one. Assembling at the White House afterwards, some 20 alumni gathered to have a post-mortem.

ALUMNI ACTIVITIES

(Continued from page 3)

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lenfest, Florence Bumby, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McQuarters, Emilie B. Cass, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Chubb, Ephraim Conway, Thomas Conway, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Burleigh, Elizabeth Burleigh, Lambert Steinhans, Ruby Newby, Nannie Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, W. M. Ingram, Myrtle Macklin, Herman Sievert, Wilhelmina Freeman, Leila Holt, R. W. Greene, C. A. Boyer, Mary Branham, Sexton Johnson, A. J. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Albra Whitmore, Sherwood Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schultz, Jean Wagner, Dorothy Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fred Ward, May Pomroy, Amelia Kendall, Charles Henderson, Mary S. Stelle, Isabel Boyce, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas, Dorothea Thomas, Mrs. Davis Fishback, Mrs. C. M. Mallett, W. R. O'Neal, Mabelle O'Neal, Mrs. Richard M. Hudson, Virginia Davis, Ellison Adams, Paul Richmond, Marion Philips, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Philips, Hannah Gartland, Frances Dickinson Pinder, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Blackman, Rena Cary Sheffield, Barbara Sheffield, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cheney, Alice Guild, Clara Louise Guild, Elizabeth Treat, Anna Treat, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hill, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quinn, Susan Peschmann, H. B. Boice, Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ingham, Marion Mulligan, Hiram Byrd, Eugene Bellows, W. M. Glenn, Orpha Grey, Dorothy Grey, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Van Cleve, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sprague, Mary Leonard, Vaudine Logan, Leigh G. Newell, Althea Miller, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Callahan, Florida Howard, N. P. Yowell, Henry Yowell, Mrs. Gray Rush, Arthur Landstreet.

A Generous Contribution

The Alumni Office is in receipt of a generous contribution of \$100 from J. K. Dorn, President of the Rollins Club of Miami, toward the deficit indicated in a recent report from the Treasurer. Mr. Dorn also sent his check for annual dues of \$10. This concrete proof of a loyal spirit should inspire others to at least pay up their dues for the year, so that the Alumni Association can proceed on a businesslike basis.

S P O R T S

Varsity Schedule

Rollins 0—Citadel 27.
 Rollins 0—Mercer 14.
 Rollins 0—Centenary 83.
 Rollins-Florida.
 November 11, Armistice Day: Southern
 College at Winter Park.
 November 26, Thanksgiving: Howard
 College of Alabama at Winter Park.

Freshman Schedule

Rollins 7—Florida Military Academy 0.

Tars Bow to the Gentlemen

The third game of the season was a blow to the Rollins camp and is described as follows by the correspondent of the Tampa Telegraph:

Shreveport, La., Oct. 17.—(Telegraph Correspondence)—After holding the strong Citadel team of Charleston to a 27-0 score and stopping Mercer, the team which last year defeated the University of Florida by playing her to a scoreless tie until the last quarter when the "breaks" favored Mercer, with two touchdowns, the Rollins Tars crashed to defeat here today when she lost to Centenary, 83-0.

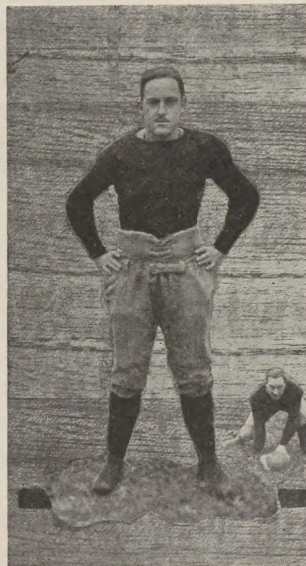
The game was featured by a great number of end runs and oftackle plays on the part of the Centenarians, while Rollins resorted chiefly to oftackle plays and aerial attacks.

The Tars refused to offer any alibis for their disastrous defeat, but it is generally believed that the hard schedule and the ten days spent on the road before the final game with the Centenary Gentlemen, coupled with various injuries received in previous games, was the cause of their defeat. In fact those who saw the brand of football displayed by the Tars against Mercer, testify that the boys from Florida were far below normal in the Centenary game.

The Tars leave here tonight for New Orleans on their return journey to Winter Park. They will rest up and then go into a period of strenuous training for their

clash with University of Florida next Saturday at Gainesville. Lineups and weights:

ROLLINS	CENTENARY
Eichstardt (150)	(190) York
L. E.	
Daniels (172)	(185) Woods
L. T.	
Fralich (166)	(185) Binion
L. G.	
Abbott (165)	(195) Meadows
C.	
Winderweedle (168)	(185) Bennett
R. G.	
Lafroos (180)	(200) Stewart
R. T.	
Bowers (148)	(160) Kepke
R. E.	
Seeds (164)	(145) Beam
Q.	
Zehler (154)	(145) Lawrence
L. H.	
Hilliard (152)	(155) White
R. H.	
Wilson (168)	(185) Stone
F. B.	



PHIL BOARDMAN
 veteran on the Varsity, who is expected to work
 hard for Rollins on November 11 against Southern

Rollins Freshmen 7; F. M. A. 0

The Rollins college freshmen took a stubbornly fought football game from the Florida Military Academy cadets, 7 to 0. The game was played at Fairfield park, under a blazing sun that made it impossible for the players to keep at high tension throughout the contest.

The Rollins squad was handicapped by the absence of Draa, the star center, who sprained his ankle in practice the day before the game. This mishap necessitated the use of a substitute center who was not familiar with the signals and forced the freshmen to use the huddle system of calling their plays. One or two bad passes also caused them considerable loss of yardage.

The two teams were so evenly matched that it was not until the third quarter that either threatened to score. Then, Williams, who played a fine game all day, took a forward pass for a twenty yard gain. Wright, on the quarterback sneak, slipped off left guard and ran thirty yards to the four-yard line before he was downed.

On the next play, Krichbaum went over but fumbled and Captain White recovered for the touchdown. White also place kicked successfully for the additional point.

Two slippery runs by Turner featured the Florida attack, the Rollins line being too strong for the academy lads to gain consistently.

The only other scoring opportunity of the battle was in the last quarter, when White's attempted place kick was blocked by the desperate academy line.

Captain Hockman at halfback, Tatum at center and Turner at quarter, played the best game for Florida, while Hood, White and Wright starred for the collegians.

The lineup:

Rollins (7)	F. M. A. (0)
Williams	Langdorf
Left End	
Michel	Neil
Left Tackle	
Hood	Jones
Left Guard	
Zoller	D. Tatum
Center	

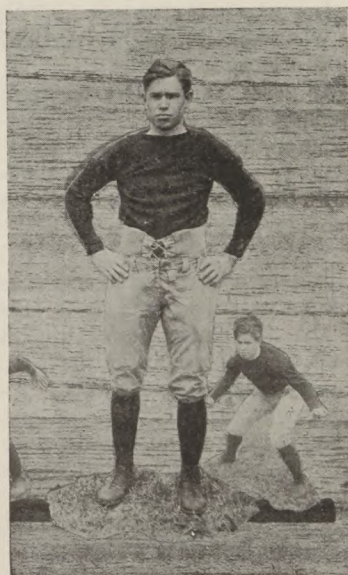
Warner	Beard
Right Guard	
White (C)	Ramsdale
Right Tackle	
Larkin	Larson
Right End	
Wright	Turner
Quarterback	
Evans	Hockman (C)
Left Halfback	
Krichbaum	Riddle
Right Halfback	
Arroyo	Earle
Fullback	

Score by periods:

Rollins	0	0	7	0—7
F. M. A.	0	0	0	0—0

Summary:

Touchdowns for Rollins: White; try for point after touchdown for Rollins: White; substitutions (F. M. A.) Bush for Beard; Lauderman for Jones; (Rollins) Porter for Warner; Cruel for Williams; officials, Bishop, referee, Wisenfeld, umpire, Stevenson, head linesman.



STANLEY WARNER
who is playing his last year with the Tars.

ROLLINS ALUMNI NOTES

(The Alumni Association, on request, will give addresses of Rollins men and women)

First Decade—1885-1895

M. Flossie Hill, of Ft. Myers, has offered a cash prize of \$25 for the best specimen of original writing for the coming year, in order to stimulate a wider interest in journalism. The class in Short Story Writing, conducted by Associate Professor Harris, is sponsoring this contest and productions of candidates for the prize will be published from time to time in the Sandspur.

May Pomroy, vice-president of the Rollins Club of St. Petersburg, was present at the alumni dinner in honor of President and Mrs. Holt, on October 23.

Frances Dickenson Pinder, a member of the Rollins Club of Jacksonville, was another Rollins girl to attend the Holt dinner.

Second Decade—1895-1905

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Bishop have let the contract for a handsome home costing \$42,500 in Coral Gables. It will be one of the show places of Miami, and has been designed by Phineas E. Paist, supervising architect of Coral Gables. Mrs. Bishop is a sister of George E. Merrick and attended Rollins one year.

Donald L. McMurtry is now a member of the History Faculty of the University of Iowa at Iowa City.

Ethel Dane Bender, who after leaving Rollins was graduated with the B. G. D. degree from the Missouri State Teachers College is now teaching public school music at Maplewood, Mo.

Third Decade—1905-1915

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith Sawyer (Eleanor Coffin) have announced the birth of a baby daughter weighing six and a half pounds, at their home in Sarasota, September 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Noone (Jessie Work) whose home is at 842 Ft. Wood Place, Chattanooga, Tenn., entertained the Varsity while they were guests of the Uni-

versity of Chattanooga. They have one son, Roger Work Noone, age 14, and one daughter, age 9. Mr. Noone is a lawyer.

Leon Fort, of Orlando, has been elected vice-president of the Country Club of the "City Beautiful."

(Eustis Lake Region)

Eustis joins Orlando in warm felicitations to Joe Y. Cheney, recently elected vice-commander of the American Legion at the annual convention in Omaha.

Joe Cheney is a capable, hard worker—no matter the time, place or the job. He visited Eustis last spring and helped line up the local committee in the American Legion drive. Joe has visited Eustis often—and has many friends here.

The editor of the Lake Region knows him well—in Kiwanis work, and he has taken high rank in that organization also. He has a pleasing personality of the rather modest variety, and will fit into his new honor and wear it well. Commander McQuigg has an able first lieutenant in Joe Cheney.

Fourth Decade—1915-1925

Paul Richmond, '25, and Carter Bradford, '28, are selling real estate with the Frank Kay Anderson Co., in Orlando.

Laura Randall, '28, is studying at the Semple School in New York, and may plan to enter Bryn Mawr later.

Margaret Sylvia Smith was married to Edward Lee Palmer September 12, at Washington, D. C., according to an announcement sent out by her sister, Mrs. George Duff Bell.

Madeleine Appleby is studying at George Washington University and living at 604 Barclay, 21st and Eye Sts., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Ephriam Conway, of Palatka, who was graduated from the University of Oregon last June, visited the campus recently.

Virginia Davis, '25, is teaching English in the New Smyrna High School.

Fifth Decade—1925-1935
Faculty

Frieda Siewart Williams, a graduate of the Rollins Conservatory under the late Susan Hart Dyer, has recently been appointed Instructor in Voice to assist Miss Schenk, head of this department, in order to care for the increased enrollment in the Conservatory.

Miss Gretchen Cox rendered a beautiful solo October 11 in the Methodist Church of Orlando.

Miss Ida Isabel Boyce, a graduate of Vassar College, has been appointed Assistant Dean of Women. Miss Boyce was formerly associated with Dean Gartland at the College for Teachers in Connecticut, where she was supervisor of the training school.

Seniors—Class of 1926

Eva Thompson and John Scott have been elected members of the Student Council from the Class of 1926.

Homer Parker has been on the hospital list because of an injury to his knee and has been unable to take part in any of the varsity games to date.

Juniors—Class of 1927

Jack Evans, of Miami, has been elected Editor-in-Chief of the 1926 Tomokan and has already begun preparations for publishing, by the Junior class, a creditable annual.

Jeannette Dickson and William LaFroos have been elected class representatives to the Student Council.

A recent issue of the Jacksonville Times-Union carried a splendid likeness of Lillian Baldwin.

Marion Mulligan has been appointed Exchange Editor of the Sandspur.

Sophomores—Class of 1928

Student Council representatives chosen by the Sophomores are Eugene Buzzell, of West Palm Beach, and Gertrude Ward of Winter Park.

Eugene Buzzell edited the October 16 issue of the Sandspur in the absence of Editor Hilliard.

Freshmen—Class of 1929

Herbert White, of Asheville, N. C., has been elected Captain of the "Baby Tars."

James Wright, of Chattanooga, Tenn., has been chosen class representative to the Student Council. He plays quarterback on the Rat Eleven.

A double column photograph of Mary Tysen recently appeared in the Tampa Tribune.

MESSAGES OF CONGRATULATION

(Continued from page 5)

From former Assistant Secretary of the Navy Franklin D. Roosevelt:

"I am indeed delighted to know that Hamilton Holt is President of Rollins College. He is an old friend of mine and we have worked together in many good causes in the past. In these days of reaction and materialistic conservatism, it is of the utmost importance that the colleges keep their faces turned to the future. Hamilton Holt is the kind of liberal and progressive thinker who will do honor to Rollins."

President Garfield of Williams College:

"I congratulate the college on having so distinguished a man for its president."

From President Glenn Frank of the University of Wisconsin:

"There is enough of the seer in Dr. Holt to enable him to see things at a distance and enough of the scientist in him to enable him to see things near at hand. The breadth of his sympathies, the range of his vision, his ability to interpret things of the mind and of the spirit with grace and with force, and his marked executive ability ideally fit him for that most difficult of modern undertakings, a college presidency."

From Mrs. A. W. Rollins, wife of the late founder:

"I take pleasure in extending to you, on the occasion of your welcome to President Holt, my heartfelt best wishes for the future of the college founded by my late husband. It is a source of much satisfaction to me that we have such a distinguished leader."

Taste and Vision Must Determine Material Growth

So much for the professors and their personalities—the intangible but nevertheless only real things that make a college. What shall we do to upbuild the material side of Rollins? The trouble with most colleges in the United States today is this: It is obvious to everyone that if the president and trustees of forty years ago had had but a modicum of taste or vision, they would never have permitted to be erected the variegated conglomerations of architectural misfits and monstrosities that incumber half of the campuses today.

"I suppose the most beautiful set of buildings in the United States are those comprised within the Harkness Quadrangle of Yale University. For sheer beauty, they are unequaled in this continent and probably surpassed by less than a dozen buildings in Europe or Asia. Even the most uncouth roughneck student could not fail to feel the spell of their charm. I am told that though hundreds of men have already lived in the Harkness dormitories, there has been no single instance of rough housing brought to the attention of the authorities. But luxuriant Florida is not puritanical New England. This is not the state for the stately Gothic or even the chaste colonial architecture.

Rollins to Have Mediterranean Type of Architecture

"Most of you will agree that an adaptation of Italian, Moorish and Spanish, known as Mediterranean architecture, goes best with palms, bamboos and brilliant sunshine. I should hope to find the most beautiful buildings of the Mediterranean type in all Florida, then find who designed them, then get that man to design every building on our campus necessary for the comfort and pleasure of seven hundred students—and all in harmony and all parts of a unified whole.

Campus to Be Last Word in Luxuriant Florida

"I should also hope to find the man who has the most beautiful estate in Florida, containing the most beautiful garden of trees, shrubs and flowers. I should like to get that man himself or his landscape architect to come and do likewise on our campus. Verdure grows faster in Florida than elsewhere in America. I shall dare to hope

that in five or ten years no tourist can afford to motor through the state without visiting our campus.

An Open-Air College

"One other thing. The people who built Rollins seemed to have had very little conception that there is such a thing as outdoors in this state. Imagine an indoor gymnasium in this climate. Yet that is precisely what we have. Imagine girls and boys sleeping within four walls these past hot nights with only one window to let in the air. Yet that is the rule of our dormitories. Every student of Rollins of tomorrow should have a sleeping porch. Most recitations should be held out of doors or on a piazza, except in the coldest weather. I hope some day to have printed a sub-head on our stationery, to the effect that Rollins is "The Open Air College of America."

"So you see, my friends, it is my ambition as president of Rollins to have a group of professors here, everyone revered and beloved, and all equipped with every line of educational apparatus from laboratories and seminar libraries to moving pictures and stenographers, teaching seven hundred young men and women in the most beautiful spot in Florida. I need scarcely add that if we succeed in making of Rollins such a college there will be no problem of getting students. Rather shall we be turning them away.

Three or Four Millions Needed

"How much will it cost and how long will it take to add these fifty extra professors to our present faculty of twenty-five, to equip them fully with all modern aids of teaching, to house them and the students in harmonious buildings, and to make our campus a miniature garden of beauty? I cannot give exact figures until I get the advice of experts. But I should think that at least three or four million dollars would be required in endowment, equipment and buildings—by no means a prohibitive figure considering Florida's present needs and ability to pay. This I should expect to set about raising at once, though whether it would take three, five, ten or fifteen years, I would not now try to judge.

Co-operation Is Asked

"But do it we can, and do it we shall, if we have the co-operation and support of

the alumni and former students of Rollins and the friends of higher education in city, county and state.

Begin Year Without Debt

"I am happy to say that this is the first year for a long time when we have begun the year out of debt. But we are still on the verge of a deficit. We shall probably run behind a few thousand dollars before the college year ends if no more money comes in beyond the income from our present endowment and the fees from tuitions.

"Even now we are cramped on every hand for even the prime essentials. If I am to lead in making Rollins not merely a good college but the best small college in the United States, I ought not to have to stop and incessantly turn aside from the main goal of endeavor to raise this and that petty sum for current expenses.

Guarantee of \$60,000 Per Year Asked for Current Expenses

"The first thing we should do is to build up the academic forces in the faculty, provide them with adequate equipment and living salaries. Then we must have available enough money to make necessary improvements in the buildings and grounds, lay our plans for the greater endowment and new buildings and have enough left over for any ordinary deficit. I am therefore going to ask the friends of Rollins to guarantee us at the very least sixty thousand dollars a year for the next five years for current expenses. This is a sum to which everybody will be asked to contribute in large or small amounts. With this amount guaranteed for five years we can all breathe easily while we are bringing to a successful fruition our plans for the permanent up-building of the college.

"A loyal alumnus is the greatest asset that a college can have. Of all friends of the college I know that none can be counted on for co-operation and support more surely than you. I ask you, therefore, to help us to make Rollins the college Woodrow Wilson so felicitously sketched in the following words:

Woodrow Wilson's Ideal

"I have had sight of the perfect place of learning in my thought; a free place, and a various, where no man can be and not know how great a destiny knowledge had

come into the world—itsself a little world; but not perplexed, living with a singleness of aim not known without; the home of sagacious men, hard-headed and with a will to know, debaters of the world's questions every day and used to the rough ways of democracy; and yet a place removed—calm science seated there, recluse, ascetic like a nun, not knowing that the world passes, not caring, if the truth but come in answer to her prayer; and Literature, walking within her open doors, in quiet chambers, with men of olden time, storied walls about her, and calm voices indifinitely sweet; a place where ideals are kept in heart in an air they can breathe; but no fool's paradise. A place where to hear the truth about the past and hold debate about the affairs of the present, with knowledge and without passion; like the world having all men's life at heart, a place for men and all that concerns them; but unlike the world in its self-possession, its thorough way of talk, it cares to know more than the moment brings to light; slow to take excitement, its air pure and wholesome with a breath of faith; every eye within it bright in the clear day and quick to look toward heaven for the confirmation of its hope."

Publicity Plan

With the opening of college and the resumption of the many activities on the campus and the coming of such a renowned leader as Hamilton Holt, alumni of Rollins College have an unusual opportunity to place Rollins before the public. The Alumni Office is, therefore, spending considerable time in carrying out that part of the alumni program which refers to publicity. Suggestions for an enlargement of this undertaking will be cheerfully received. Now is the time to begin selecting the best high school graduates for next fall's entering class and much can be done in that direction by getting Rollins before the state in every possible way.

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AT WINTER PARK

Armistice Day, November 11

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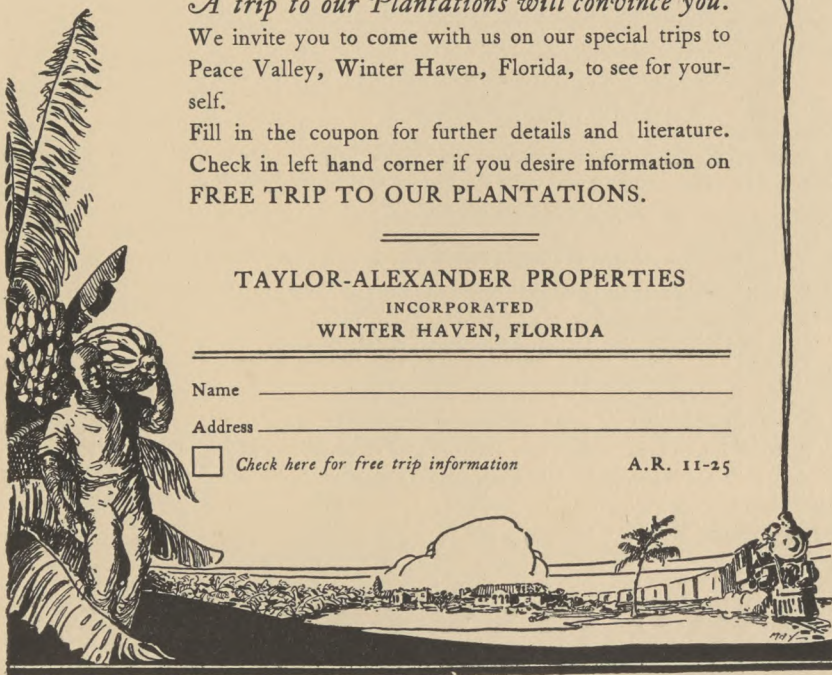
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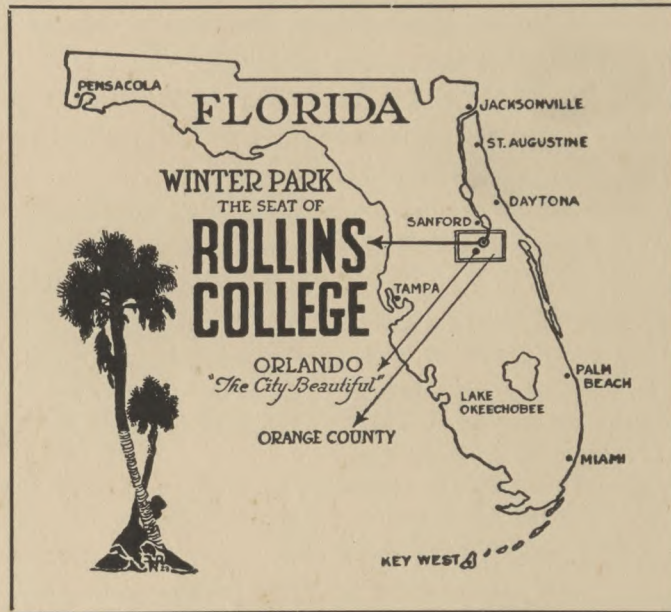
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